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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

U.S. SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff - Appellee,

v.

MARK FEATHERS,

Defendant - Appellant.

No. 13-17304

D.C. No. 5:12-cv-03237-EJD Northern District of California, San Jose

ORDER

MARK FEATHERS,

Petitioner,

v.

U.S. SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Respondent.

No. 15-70102

Before: Peter L. Shaw, Appellate Commissioner.

On January 30, 2015, petitioner submitted a copy of the agency order challenged in case number 15-70102. Accordingly, the January 14, 2015 order to show cause is discharged.

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Respondent's motion to consolidate case number 15-70102 with case number 13-17304 is granted. Case numbers 15-70102 and 13-17304 shall be assigned to the same panel for consideration of the merits of these cases.

Petitioner's motion to take judicial notice in case number 15-70102 is denied.

On January 15, 2015, petitioner filed a document that was docketed as the opening brief for case number 15-70102. It is unclear whether appellant intended this document to serve as his opening brief. On or before March 30, 2015, petitioner shall file the opening brief for case number 15-70102 or shall inform the court in writing that he intends his January 15, 2015 filing to serve as his opening brief.

Briefing for case number 13-17304 is complete.

The remainder of the briefing schedule set on January 9, 2015 for case number 15-70102 shall remain in effect.